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STATEMENT SHOWING THE REASONS FOR THE DELAY IN PLACING THE ANNUAL REPORT FOR THE YEAR 2021 OF THE Tamil Nadu Information Commission ON THE TABLE OF THE TAMIL NADU LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

As per section 25(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005, the State Information Commission, shall as soon as practicable after the end of each year, prepare a report on the implementation of the provisions of this Act during that year and forward a copy thereof to the appropriate Government.

2. As per Section 25(2) of the Right to Information Act, 2005, each Ministry or Department shall, in relation to the public authorities within their jurisdiction, collect and provide such information to the State Information Commission as is required to prepare the report.

3. Since there was delay in getting the required details from all the Departments of Secretariat including the heads of departments under their respective administrative control, the Tamil Nadu Information Commission was not able to prepare the Annual Report for the year 2021 and forward it to the Government during the year 2022 itself. The delay in placing the Annual Report for the year 2021 before the Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly is due to administrative reasons.

M.MURUGAN
Secretary

TAMIL NADU INFORMATION COMMISSION

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CHAPTER – 1

Introduction

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"ஆள்வினையும் ஆன்ற அறிவும் எனஇரண்டின்
நீள்வினையால் நீளும் குடி"

பொருள்: முயற்சி,நிறைந்த அறிவு என்று சொல்லப்படும் இரண்டினையும் உடைய இடைவிடாத செயலால் ஒருவனுடைய குடி உயர்ந்து விளங்கும்.

Meaning : One's family is raised by untiring perseverance in both effort and wisdom.

The Right to Information Act 2005 (Central Act 22 of 2005) is one of the most significant legislation enacted by the parliament of India and came into effect from 12th October 2005. This Act has empowered the Citizens to actively participate in the democratic governance and also guaranteed transparency and accountability in every public authority.

The Preamble of the Act states

WHEREAS the Constitution of India has established democratic Republic;

AND, WHEREAS democracy requires an informed citizenry and transparency of information which are vital to its functioning and also to contain corruption and to hold Governments and their instrumentalities accountable to the governed;

AND, WHEREAS revelation of information in actual practice is likely to conflict with other public interests including efficient operations of the Governments, optimum use of limited fiscal resources and the preservation of confidentiality of sensitive information;

AND, WHEREAS it is necessary to harmonise these conflicting interests while preserving the paramountcy of the democratic ideal;

NOW, THEREFORE, it is expedient to provide for furnishing certain information to citizens who desire to have it.

An Act to provide for setting out the practical regime of right to information for citizens to secure access to information under the control of public authorities, in order to promote transparency and accountability in the working of every public authority was therefore enacted by Parliament in the Fifty-sixth year of the Republic of India which provides for

the constitution of a Central Information Commission and State Information Commissions for matters connected therewith or incidental thereto.

The Right to Information Act aims to eliminate corruption and make democracy work for the people in the real sense. It mandates a timely response to the requests of citizens for Government information.

Chapter – 2

2.1 .Salient Features of the Right to Information Act, 2005

- (i) Any citizen of India can seek information from any public authority and he / she need not specify the reason for the same.
- (ii) A person who desires to obtain information under the Act has to make a request in writing to the Public Information Officer with the prescribed fee.
- (iii) Public Authorities have to furnish the required information to the applicants through the designated Public Information Officers within the stipulated period.
- (iv) Persons belonging to Below poverty line are not liable to pay any fee.
- (v) The Public Information Officer shall provide the required information or reject the request within 30 days of the receipt of such request.
- (vi) When a request for information has been rejected, the Public Information Officer shall communicate to the petitioner
 - a) the reasons for such rejection;
 - b) the period within which an appeal against such rejection may be preferred; and
 - c) the particulars of the Appellate Authority.
- (vii) Any person who does not receive a decision on the request within 30 days or is aggrieved by a decision of the Public Information Officer, as the case may be, has the right to prefer an appeal within 30 days from the expiry of such period or from the receipt of such a decision before the Appellate Authority in each public authority.
- (viii) Where the information sought for concerns the life and liberty of a person, the same should be provided within forty eight hours of the receipt of the request.
- (ix) Every public authority is required to make voluntary disclosure of information of its functions which is to be updated every year.

2.2. Information

As per Section 2(f) of the Right to Information Act, “information” means any material in any form, including records, documents, memos, e-mails, opinions, advices, press releases, circulars, orders, logbooks, contracts, reports, papers, samples, models, data material held in any electronic form and information relating to any private body which can be accessed by a public authority under any other law for the time being in force.

2.3. Public Authority

As per Section 2(h) of the Right to Information Act, a ‘Public Authority’ means any authority or body or institution of self-government established or constituted

- a) by or under the Constitution;
- b) by any other law made by Parliament;
- c) by any other law made by State Legislature;
- d) by notification issued or order made by the appropriate Government and includes any-
 - i) body owned, controlled or substantially financed;
 - ii) non-Government organization substantially financed, directly or indirectly by funds provided by the appropriate Government;

It is mandatory for every Public Authority as defined under the Act to designate Assistant Public Information Officers (APIOs) / Public Information Officers (PIOs) and First Appellate Authority (FAA) to deal with the petitions received from the citizens and furnish information to them as per the provisions of the Act, failing which the officer concerned will be liable for penalty / disciplinary action as determined by the concerned Information Commission.

2.4. Right to Information

As per Section 2(j) of the Right to Information Act, “right to information” means the right to information accessible under this Act which is held by or under the control of any public authority and includes the right to inspection of work, documents, records, taking notes, extracts or certified copies of documents or records, taking certified samples of material, obtaining information in the form of diskettes, floppies, tapes, video cassettes or in any other electronic mode or through printouts where such information is stored in a computer or in any other device.

2.5. Obligations of Public Authorities

Section 4 of the Right to Information Act states that

(1) Every public authority shall

(a) maintain all its records duly catalogued and indexed in a manner and the form which facilitates the right to information under the Act and ensure that all records that are appropriate to be computerised are, within a reasonable time and subject to availability of resources, computerised and connected through a network all over the country on different systems so that access to such records is facilitated;

(b) publish —

- (i) the particulars of its organisation, functions and duties;
- (ii) the powers and duties of its officers and employees;
- (iii) the procedure followed in the decision making process, including channels of supervision and accountability;
- (iv) the norms set by it for the discharge of its functions;
- (v) the rules, regulations, instructions, manuals and records, held by it or under its control or used by its employees for discharging its functions;
- (vi) a statement of the categories of documents that are held by it or under its control;
- (vii) the particulars of any arrangement that exists for consultation with, or representation by, the members of the public in relation to the formulation of its policy or implementation thereof;
- (viii) a statement of the boards, councils, committees and other bodies consisting of two or more persons constituted as its part or for the purpose of its advice, and as to whether meetings of those boards, councils, committees and other bodies are open to the public, or the minutes of such meetings are accessible for public;
- (ix) a directory of its officers and employees;
- (x) the monthly remuneration received by each of its officers and employees, including the system of compensation as provided in its regulations;
- (xi) the budget allocated to each of its agency, indicating the particulars of all plans, proposed expenditures and reports on disbursements made;
- (xii) the manner of execution of subsidy programmes, including the amounts allocated and the details of beneficiaries of such programmes;
- (xiii) particulars of recipients of concessions, permits or authorisations granted by it;
- (xiv) details in respect of the information, available to or held by it, reduced in an electronic form;
- (xv) the particulars of facilities available to citizens for obtaining information, including the working hours of a library or reading room, if maintained for public use;

- (xvi) the names, designations and other particulars of the Public Information Officers;
 - (xvii) such other information as may be prescribed; and thereafter update these publications every year;
- (c) publish all relevant facts while formulating important policies or announcing the decisions which affect public;
- (d) provide reasons for its administrative or quasi-judicial decisions to affected persons.

2.6. Public Authority to be addressed when the Information sought for in the Petition is held by more than one such Public Authority.

Section 6(3) of the Act provides that where an application is made to a public authority requesting for an information which is held by another public authority or the subject matter of which is more closely connected with the functions of another public authority, the public authority to which such application is made, shall transfer the application or such part of it as may be appropriate to that other public authority and inform the applicant immediately about such transfer.

There may be cases in which a person of ordinary prudence may believe that the piece of information sought by him/her would be available with the Public Authority. In such cases, the applicant, makes a bonafide mistake of addressing the application to the Public Information Officer of a wrong Public Authority. On the other hand where an applicant addresses the application to the Public Information Officer of the Public Authority, which to a person of ordinary prudence, would not appear to be the concern of that Public Authority, the applicant does not fulfill his responsibility of addressing the application to the concerned Public Authority.

2.7. Time Frame

Section 7 of the Act lays down statutory time frame of 30 days for disposal of requests either for giving information or rejecting the same with reasons. The time frame for supply of information, which is related to the life or liberty of a person, has been fixed as forty eight hours. An appeal under sub-section (1) or sub-section (2) of Section 19 shall be disposed of within thirty days of the receipt of the appeal or within such extended period not exceeding a total of forty five days from the date of filing thereof, as the case may be, for reasons to be recorded in writing.

2.8.Exemption from Disclosure of Information

Exemption from disclosure of information is covered under Section 8 of the Right to Information Act, 2005, is explained below:

- (1) Notwithstanding anything contained in this Act, there shall be no obligation to give any citizen, -
 - (a) information, disclosure of which would prejudicially affect the sovereignty and integrity of India, the security, strategic, scientific or economic interests of the State, relation with foreign State or lead to incitement of an offence;
 - (b) information which has been expressly forbidden to be published by any court of law or tribunal or the disclosure of which may constitute contempt of court;
 - (c) information, the disclosure of which would cause a breach of privilege of Parliament or the State Legislature;
 - (d) information including commercial confidence, trade secrets or intellectual property, the disclosure of which would harm the competitive position of a third party, unless the competent authority is satisfied that larger public interest warrants the disclosure of such information;
 - (e) information available to a person in his fiduciary relationship, unless the competent authority is satisfied that the larger public interest warrants the disclosure of such information;
 - (f) information received in confidence from foreign Government;
 - (g) information, the disclosure of which would endanger the life or physical safety of any person or identify the source of information or assistance given in confidence for law enforcement or security purposes;
 - (h) information which would impede the process of investigation or apprehension or prosecution of offenders;
 - (i) cabinet papers including records of deliberations of the Council of Ministers, Secretaries and other officers:

Provided that the decisions of Council of Ministers, the reasons thereof, and the material on the basis of which the decisions were taken shall be made public after the decision has been taken, and the matter is complete, or over:

Provided further that those matters which come under the exemptions specified in this section shall not be disclosed;

- (j) information which relates to personal information the disclosure of which has no relationship to any public activity or interest, or which would cause unwarranted invasion of the privacy of the individual unless the State Public Information Officer or the Appellate authority, as the case may be, is satisfied that the larger public interest justifies the disclosure of such information:

Provided that the information which cannot be denied to the Parliament or a State Legislature shall not be denied to any person.

As per Section 9 of the Right to Information Act, 2005, without prejudice to the provisions of Section 8, a State Public Information Officer may reject a request for information where such a request for providing access would involve an infringement of copyright subsisting in a person other than the State.

As per Section 24(4) of the Right to Information Act, 2005, nothing contained in this Act shall apply to such intelligence and security organization being organizations established by the State Government, as that Government may, from time to time, by notification in the Official Gazette, specify:

Provided that the information pertaining to the allegations of corruption and human rights violations shall not be excluded under this sub-section:

Provided further that in the case of information sought for is in respect of allegations of violation of human rights, the information shall only be provided after the approval of the State Information Commission and, notwithstanding anything contained in Section 7, such information shall be provided within forty-five days from the date of the receipt of request.

2.9. Protection of action taken in good faith

As per Section 21 of the Right to Information Act, 2005, no suit, prosecution or other legal proceeding shall lie against any person for anything which is in good faith done or intended to be done under this Act or any rule made thereunder.

2.10. Act to have over riding effect

As per Section 22 of the Right to Information Act, 2005, the provisions of this Act shall have effect notwithstanding anything inconsistent therewith contained in the Officials Secrets Act, 1923, and any other law for the time being in force or in any instrument having effect by virtue of any law other than this Act.

2.11. State Information Commission

As provided under Section 15 (1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005, the Government of Tamil Nadu constituted the Tamil Nadu Information Commission vide G.O. (Ms). No 988, Public (Estt I & Legislature) Department, dated 07.10.2005.

2.12.Powers and Functions of the State Information Commission

The Right to Information Act, 2005, prescribes the powers and functions of the Commission under Sections 18, 19 and 20 in dealing with complaints, appeals and penalties respectively.

2.13.Disposal of complaints under Section 18 of the Right to Information Act, 2005

(1) The State Information Commission shall, while inquiring into any matter under this section, have the same powers as are vested in a Civil Court while trying a suit under the Code of Civil Procedure, 1908, in respect of the following matters, namely:-

- (a) summoning and enforcing the attendance of persons and compel them to give oral or written evidence on oath and to produce the documents or things;
- (b) requiring the discovery and inspection of documents;
- (c) receiving evidence on affidavit;
- (d) requisitioning any public record or copies thereof from any court or office;
- (e) issuing summons for examination of witnesses or documents; and
- (f) any other matter which may be prescribed

Notwithstanding anything inconsistent contained in any other Act of Parliament or State Legislature, as the case may be, the State Information Commission may during the inquiry of any complaint under this Act, examine any record to which this Act applies which is under the control of the public authority, and no such record may be withheld from it on any grounds.

2.14.Disposal of Appeals under Section 19 of the Right to Information Act, 2005

(1) Any person who, does not receive a decision within the time specified in sub- section (1) or clause (a) of sub-section (3) of Section 7, or is aggrieved by a decision of the State Public Information Officer, may within thirty days from the expiry of such period or from the receipt of such a decision prefer an appeal to such officer who is senior in rank to the State Public Information Officer in each public authority;

Provided that such officer may admit the appeal after the expiry of the period of thirty days if he or she is satisfied that the appellant was prevented by sufficient cause from filing the appeal in time.

- (2) Where an appeal is preferred against an order made by the State Public Information Officer under Section 11 to disclose third party information, the appeal by the concerned third party shall be made within thirty days from the date of the order.
- (3) A second appeal against the decision under sub-section (1) shall lie within ninety days from the date on which the decision should have been made or was actually received, with the State Information Commission.

Provided that the State Information Commission may admit the appeal after the expiry of the period of ninety days if it is satisfied that the appellant was prevented by sufficient cause from filing the appeal in time.

- (4) If the decision of the State Public Information Officer against which an appeal is preferred relates to information of a third party, the State Information Commission shall give a reasonable opportunity of being heard to that third party.
- (5) In any appeal proceedings, the onus to prove that a denial of a request was justified shall be on the State Public Information Officer who denied the request.
- (6) An appeal under sub-section(1) or sub-section(2) shall be disposed of within thirty days of the receipt of the appeal or within such extended period not exceeding a total of forty five days from the date of filing thereof, as the case may be, for reasons to be recorded in writing.
- (7) The decision of the State Information Commission shall be binding.
- (8) In its decision, the State Information Commission has the power to -
 - (a) require the public authority to take any such steps as may be necessary to secure compliance with the provisions of this Act, including:-
 - (i) by providing access to information, if so requested, in a particular form;
 - (ii) by appointing a State Public Information Officer;
 - (iii) by publishing certain information or categories of information;
 - (iv) by making necessary changes to its practices in relation to the maintenance, management and destruction of records;
 - (v) by enhancing the provision of training on the right to information for its officials;
 - (vi) by providing it with an annual report in compliance with clause(b) of sub- section (1) of Section 4;
 - (b) require the public authority to compensate the complainant for any loss or other detriment suffered;
 - (c) impose any of the penalties provided under Right to Information Act;
 - (d) reject the application.

2.15. Penalties under Section 20 of the Right to Information Act, 2005

- (1) Where the State Information Commission at the time of deciding any complaint or appeal is of the opinion that the State Public Information Officer, has, without any

reasonable cause, refused to receive an application for information or has not furnished information within the time specified under sub-section (1) of Section 7 or malafidely denied the request for information or knowingly given incorrect, incomplete or misleading information or destroyed information which was the subject of the request or obstructed in any manner in furnishing the information, it shall impose a penalty of two hundred and fifty rupees each day till application is received or information is furnished, so however, the total amount of such penalty shall not exceed twenty five thousand rupees:

Provided that the State Public Information Officer, shall be given a reasonable opportunity of being heard before any penalty is imposed on him:

Provided further that the burden of proving that he acted reasonably and diligently shall be on the State Public Information Officer.

- (2) Where the State Information Commission, at the time of deciding any complaint or appeal is of the opinion that the State Public Information Officer, has, without any reasonable cause and persistently, failed to receive an application for information or has not furnished information within the time specified under sub-section (1) of Section 7 or malafidely denied the request for information or knowingly given incorrect, incomplete or misleading information or destroyed information which was the subject of the request or obstructed in any manner in furnishing the information, it shall recommend for disciplinary action against the State Public Information Officer, under the service rules applicable to him.

CHAPTER - 3

3.1. Rules Notified under the Right to Information Act, 2005

As per Section 27(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005, the appropriate Government may, by notification in the Official Gazette, make rules to carry out the provisions of this Act. Similarly, as per Section 28(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005, the competent authority may, by notification in the Official Gazette, make rules to carry out the provisions of this Act.

3.2.Fees to be paid under the Tamil Nadu Right to Information (Fees) Rules, 2005

The Government of Tamil Nadu vide G.O.Ms.No.989, Public (Estt.I&Legislature) Department, dated 07.10.2005, has notified the Tamil Nadu Right to Information (Fees) Rules, 2005. Subsequently, certain amendments were issued to the said rules vide G.O.Ms.No.1012, Public (Estt.I& Legislature) Department, dated 20.09.2006, G.O.Ms.No.72, Personnel and Administrative Reforms (AR III) Department, dated 20.03.2007 and G.O.Ms.No.12, Personnel and Administrative Reforms (AR III) Department dated 18.01.2011. The fees to be paid under the Tamil Nadu Right to Information (Fees) Rules, 2005 are as follows:

Rule	Item	Fees to be paid	Mode of payment
3 (a)	Fees to be paid along with application	Rs.10/-	Cash or Postal Money order or Court fee stamp or Demand Draft or Banker's Cheque

For information provided under Section 7(1) of RTI Act			
3(b)(i)	Supply of copies of documents	Rs.2/- per page(in A4 or A3 size paper)	
3(b)(ii)		Actual charge or cost price of a copy in large size paper	
3(b)(iii)	Supply of samples or models	Actual cost or price	
3(b)(iv)	Inspection of records	No fee for the first hour and a fees of Rs.5/- per hour (or fraction there of)there after	
For information provided under Section 7(5) of Right To Information Act			
3(c)(i)	Supply of information in Diskette or Floppy	Rs.50/- per diskette or floppy	Cash or Demand Draft or Banker's Cheque
3(c)(ii)	For printed publication	Price fixed for publication or Rs.2/- per page of photocopy for extracts from the publication.	

3.3.Fees to be paid under the Madras High Court Right to Information (Regulation of fee and cost) Rules, 2007

Rule	Item	Fees to be paid	Mode of payment
3	Fees to be paid along with application	Rs.10/-	Cash or Court Fee Stamp or Treasury Chalan or Demand Draft / Postal Order drawn in favour of PIO, HighCourt, Madras/Madurai.
For information provided under Section 7(1) and 7(5) of RTI Act			
4 (a) Proviso	Copy of order / decree / judgment / documents on the judicial side under the control of the High Court or Subordinate Courts	To be obtained as per the procedure prescribed for obtaining certified copies in the Madras High Court Appellate Side Rules / Madras High Court Original Side Rules / Civil Rules of Practice / Criminal Rules of Practice, as the case may be, or any other Rule for the time being in force in that behalf. Copies of order / decree / judgment / documents on the Judicial side will not be issued under Right to Information Act.	

4 (a)	Copy of records except order / decree / judgment / documents on the judicial side	Rs.100/- If actual cost is more, it would be intimated	Cash or Court Fee Stamp or Treasury Chalan or Demand Draft / Postal Order drawn infavour of PIO, High Court, Madras / Madurai.
4 (b)	Information in the form of diskette or floppy	Rs.50/- per diskette or floppy	

3.4.Fees to be paid under the Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly Secretariat Right to Information (Fees) Rules, 2006

Rule	Item	Fees to be paid	Mode of payment
3 (a)	Fees to be paid along with application	Rs.10/-	Cash or Demand Draft or Banker's Cheque
For information provided under Section 7(1) of RTI Act			Cash or Demand Draft or Banker's Cheque
3(b)(i)	Supply of copies of documents	Rs.2/- per page (in A4 or A3 size paper).	
3(b)(ii)	Supply of copies of documents	Actual charge or cost price of a copy in larger size paper	
3(b)(iii)	Supply of samples or models	Actual cost or price.	
3(b)(iv)	Inspection of records	No fee for the first one hour. Rs.5/- per hour (or fraction thereof) there after	
For information provided under Section 7(5) of Right To Information Act			Cash or Demand Draft or Banker's Cheque
3(c)(i)	Supply of information in Diskette or Floppy	Rs.50/- per diskette or floppy	
3(c)(ii)	For printed publications	Price fixed for publication or Rs.2/- per page of photocopy for extracts from the publication.	

CHAPTER – 4

4.1. State Chief Information Commissioner and State Information Commissioners

The State Chief Information Commissioner / State Information Commissioners in position during the reporting year were as follows:

1.	Thiru R. Rajagopal, IAS.,(Retd) State Chief Information Commissioner	In position from 21.11.2019
2.	Thiru.S.Selvaraj, M.A., B.Ed., State Information Commissioner	In position from 08.12.2017
3.	Thiru.S.T.Tamilkumar, B.A., B.L., State Information Commissioner	In position from 08.12.2017
4.	Dr.R.Pratap Kumar, M.A., M.L.,M.B.A., M.Sc., Ph.D., State Information Commissioner	In position from 08.12.2017
5.	Thiru.S.Muthuraj, B.A.,B.L., State Information Commissioner	In position from 08.12.2017
6.	Thiru.P.Dhanasekaran,B.A.,LLB State Information Commissioner	In position from 18.02.2021
7.	Thiru.M.Sreedhar., B.Tech., State Information Commissioner	In position from 18.02.2021

The following details with regard to the State Chief Information Commissioner and State Information Commissioners of the past

1.	Thiru.S. Ramakrishnan, I.A.S., (Retd.) State Chief Information Commissioner	From 28.01.2006 to 30.08.2010
2.	Thiru. K.S. Sripathi, I.A.S. (Retd.) State Chief Information Commissioner	From 01.09.2010 to 27.04.2015
3.	Thiru. K. Ramanujam, I.P.S. (Retd.) State Chief Information Commissioner	From 09.08.2015 to 22.11.2017
4.	Dr.Tmt.M.Sheela Priya, I.A.S., (Retd.) State Chief Information Commissioner	From 08.12.2017 to 04.05.2019
5.	Thiru. G. Ramakrishnan, I.A.S., (Retd.) State Information Commissioner	From 28.01.2006 to 09.10.2010

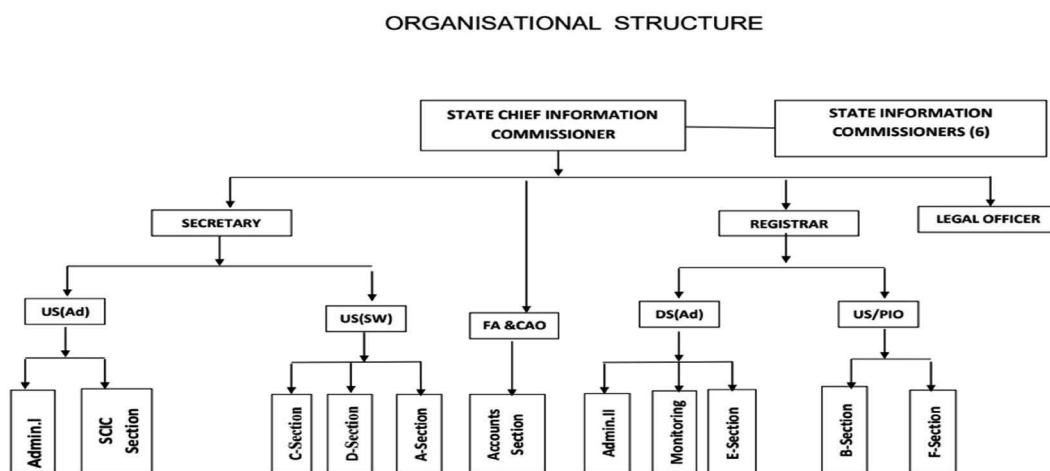
6.	Thiru. R. Rathinasamy, I.A.S., (Retd.) State Information Commissioner	From 28.01.2006 to 11.05.2009
7.	Thiru T.R. Ramasamy, I.A.S., (Retd.) State Information Commissioner	From 07.05.2008 to 30.10.2010
8.	Dr. (Thiru) R. Perumalsamy, M.A., M.Phil., Phd., State Information Commissioner	From 07.05.2008 to 03.06.2012
9.	Dr. (Thiru) Sarada Nambi Arooran, M.A., M.Phil., Phd., State Information Commissioner	From 07.05.2008 to 23.07.2011
10.	Thiru T.Srinivasan, M.Sc., State Information Commissioner	From 07.05.2008 to 06.05.2013
11.	Dr. (Tmt) V. Saroja, M.D., D.G.O., State Information Commissioner	From 05.09.2012 to 11.06.2013
12.	Thiru.S.F.Akbar, B.Sc.,B.L., State Information Commissioner	From 05.09.2012 to 04.11.2015
13.	Thiru. Christopher Nelson, I.P.S. (Retd.) State Information Commissioner	From 05.09.2012 to 16.03.2016
14.	Thiru. P.Thamilselvan, M.A., B.L., State Information Commissioner	From 05.09.2012 to 04.09.2017
15.	Tmt. B. Neelambikai, M.A., B.L., State Information Commissioner	From 05.09.2012 to 04.09.2017
16.	Thiru.R.Dakshinamurthy,B.sc.,B.L., State Information Commissioner	From 09.08.2015 to 19.05.2020
17.	Thiru.G.Murugan,B.Sc.,B.L., State Information Commissioner	From 09.08.2015 to 08.08.2020

4.2. Head Quarters of the Tamil Nadu Information Commission.

The Tamil Nadu Information Commission functioned initially with its headquarters in Purasaiwalkam, Chennai, from 02.02.2006 to 06.02.2007. Then, the office of the commission was shifted to Kamadhenu Co-operative supermarket Building, I Floor, No.378, Anna Salai, Teynampet, Chennai – 600 018 and functioned there from 07.02.2007 to 09.12.2010. The Commission was then shifted its office to the building owned by the Tamil

Nadu Slum Clearance Board at Alaiamman Koil Office Complex, Teynampet, Chennai – 600 018 and functioned in that premises from 10.12.2010 to 25.04.2021. The Tamil Nadu Information Commission is presently functioning at No.19, Government Farm Village, Panepet, Nandanam, Chennai-600035.

4.3.Organisational structure of Tamil Nadu Information Commission



Abbreviations:

US – Under Secretary, DS – Deputy Secretary, Ad – Administration, SW – Staff Welfare,
FA & CAO – Financial Advisor & Chief Accounts Officer, PIO – Public Information Officer

4.4.Staff Strength of Tamil Nadu Information Commission

The staff sanctioned to the Tamil Nadu Information Commission by the Government of Tamil Nadu are as follows:

Sl. No.	Designation of the Posts	No. of Posts sanctioned
1.	Secretary	1
2.	Registrar	1
3.	Legal Officer	1
4.	Financial Advisor & Chief Accounts Officer	1
5.	Under Secretary (Admin)	1
6.	Assistant Registrar	3
7.	Principal Private Secretary	1
8.	Section Officer	11
9.	Private Secretary	7
10.	Assistant Section Officer	7

Sl. No.	Designation of the Posts	No. of Posts sanctioned
11	Assistant Programmer	1
12.	Assistant	4
13.	Personal Assistant	9
14.	Senior Personal Clerk	3
15.	Personal Clerk	10
16.	Typist	6
17.	Record Clerk	2
18	Driver	8
19.	Daffedar	3
20.	Office Assistant	21
21.	Watch Man	3

4.5.Budget Allocation

Head of Account		Budget Estimate 2021 – 2022	FMA 2021-2022	Expenditure Incurred as on 31.03.2022
(1)		(2)	(3)	(4)
		(Rupees in Thousands)		
30100	Salaries			
30101	01. Pay	54401	56821	56986
30102	02. Medical Allowance	187	216	213
30103	03. Medical Charges	300	300	269
30104	04. Other Allowances	718	764	759
30106	06. House Rent allowance	7781	8565	8640
30107	07. Leave Travel Concession	258	1	0
30108	08. City Compensatory Allowance	866	848	840

Head of Account		Budget Estimate 2021 – 2022	FMA 2021-2022	Expenditure Incurred as on 31.03.2022
(1)		(2)	(3)	(4)
		(Rupees in Thousands)		
30301	Dearness Allowance	12241	12785	11692
30400	Travel Expenses			
30401	01. Tour Travelling Allowances	300	225	159
30500	Office Expenses			
30501	01. Telephone Charges	800	800	610
30502	02. Other Contingencies	625	825	823
30503	03. Electricity Charges	1456	2456	2317
30504	04. Service Postage	800	500	500
30505	05. Furniture	1	1	0
30600	Rent, Rate & Taxes			
30601	Rent	12456	5200	3359
30801	01. Advertisement Charges	1	97	95
31301	Hospitality/ Entertainment Expenditure	135	135	133
31701	Minor Works	1	1	0
31800	Maintenance			
31801	01. Periodical Maintenance	50	50	50
31900	Machinery & Equipments			
31901	01. Purchase	1	1	0
31903	03. Maintenance	181	181	181

Head of Account		Budget Estimate 2021 – 2022	FMA 2021-2022	Expenditure Incurred as on 31.03.2022
(1)		(2)	(3)	(4)
		(Rupees in Thousands)		
32100	Motor Vehicles			
32101	01. Purchase	1	26	25
32102	02. Maintenance of Functional Vehicles	150	25	20
33300	Payments for professional and special services			
33301	01. Pleaders Fee	379	635	635
33304	04. Contract Payment	4948	5848	5848
34501	Petroleum, Oil & Lubricants	821	1450	1246
34900	Festival Advances			
34901	01. Festival Advances – Debit	600	700	410
34902	02. Festival Advances - credit	-600	-700	446
35151	Claims Under no Fault Liability - Principal Charges	1	0	0
35901	Prizes and Awards	8	10	0
36801	Cost of Books/Note Books/Slates,etc.,	35	35	28
37101	Printing Charges	150	150	149
37201	Training	1	100	100
37600	Computer & Accessories			
37601	01. Purchase	851	851	841
37602	02. Maintenance	351	351	348
37603	03. Stationery	553	553	548
Total		101808	100806	97376

CHAPTER – 5

5.1. Tamil Nadu Information Commission (Appeal Procedure) Rules, 2012

The Tamil Nadu Information Commission (Appeal Procedure) Rules, 2012 have been notified in G.O.Ms.No.137, Personnel and Administrative Reforms (AR-III) Department, dated 03.09.2012. These Rules lay down the procedure to be followed by the Appellants

for filing of second appeals to the Tamil Nadu Information Commission and also the procedure involved in deciding the appeals. Online filing of Second Appeal can also be done through the Tamil Nadu Information Commission's website www.tnsic.gov.in. w.e.f.13.08.2019.

CHAPTER – 6

6.1.National Federation of Information Commission in India (NFICI)

The National Federation of Information Commission in India has been formed to Co-ordinate the activities of all the State Information Commissions and Central Information Commission and exchange their thoughts, ideas and views under the Right to Information Act. The membership to the National Federation of Information Commission in India is open to all Information Commissions in India and all the members have to pay an admission fee of Rs.5.00 lakh and Annual Membership fee of Rs.1.00 lakh.

CHAPTER – 7

7.1.Help Desk:

The Help Desk is to enlighten the Stake Holders about Right to Information Act, 2005, and clarify on issues relating to filing and processing of petitions with reference to the Act. It also helps in checking the status of Second Appeals in the Tamil Nadu Information Commission.

CHAPTER – 8

8.1. District Camps conducted by State Information Commissioners for speedy disposal of Petitions under Right to Information Act, 2005.

In view of speedy disposal of the Petitions received in the Commission by the Public, the State Information Commissioners are visiting various districts of State for conducting Inquiries in the District Head Quarters and disposing the cases. The visits of the State Information Commissioners help the petitioners immensely, so that they can avoid the spending of time and money towards coming to Chennai for personal Inquires in the Commission.

Inquiry with Petitioner during District visit by State Information Commissioner
Thiru P.Dhanasekaran,B.A.,LLB.



CHAPTER – 9

9.1.Preparation of Annual Report – 2021

As per Section 25(1) of the Right to Information Act, 2005, the Commission is required to prepare a report after the end of each year, on the implementation of the provisions of this Act during that year and a copy thereof is to be forwarded to the appropriate Government, which in turn will lay it before the State Legislature.

As per Section 25(2) of the Right to Information Act, 2005, each Ministry or Department shall, in relation to the public authorities within their jurisdiction collect and provide information to the State Information Commission, as is required to prepare the report. The Annual Report, 2021, has been prepared based on the particulars received from the Public Authorities on the implementation of Right to Information Act during the year 2021.

9.2.Right to Information Applications handled by the Public Authorities during the year 2021

The particulars showing number of requests made to each Public Authority and amount of charges collected, number of requests rejected under various provisions of the Right to Information Act, disposal of Right to Information applications by the Public Information Officers and disposal of first appeals by the Appellate Authorities during the year 2021 are shown in the Annexure to this report. The following are the total number of Right to Information applications handled by each Public Authority during the year 2021:

Sl.No.	Name of the Department / Commission	No. of RTI Applications handled
1.	Social Reforms	2
2.	Special Programme Implementation	1
3.	Legislative Assembly Secretariat	116
4.	Planning, Development and Special Initiatives	282
5.	Law	484
6.	Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare	826
7.	Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises	423
8.	Information Technology	232
9.	Social Welfare and Women Empowerment	580
10.	Welfare of Differently Abled Persons	536
11.	Tamil Development and Information	630
12.	Handlooms, Handicrafts, Textiles and Khadi	652
13.	Tamil Nadu Information Commission	1457
14.	Animal Husbandry, Dairying, Fisheries and Fishermen Welfare	1823
15.	Youth Welfare and Sports Development	195
16.	Industries	2088
17.	Agriculture and Farmers Welfare	3402
18.	Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes & Minorities Welfare	2411
19.	Environment, Climate Change and Forest	3113
20.	Finance	3740

Sl.No.	Name of the Department / Commission	No. of RTI Applications handled
21.	Human Resources Management	4807
22.	Highways and Minor Ports	4218
23.	Labour Welfare and Skill Development	3486
24.	Public Works / Water Resources	4094
25.	Public	5108
26.	Co-operation, Food and Consumer Protection	7028
27.	Housing and Urban Development	7386
28.	Energy	8013
29.	Transport	7003
30.	Tourism, Culture and Religious Endowments	6372
31.	School Education	6774
32.	Health and Family Welfare	12695
33.	Municipal Administration and Water Supply	19939
34.	Commercial Taxes and Registration	21502
35.	Higher Education	18827
36.	Rural Development and Panchayat Raj	33437
37.	Home, Prohibition and Excise	55983
38.	Revenue & Disaster Management	132238
39.	Tamil Nadu Vigilance Commission	16
	Total	3,81,919

The Public Authorities of this State have handled 3,81,919 Right to Information applications during the year 2021, which is 68,256 applications higher than that were handled during the year 2020.

9.3. Disposal of First Appeals by the First Appellate Authorities

During the year 2021, a total number of 41,729 first appeals were handled by the first Appellate Authorities, out of which 37,894 first appeals were disposed by providing information. The number of first appeals rejected was 1,099 and the pending number of first appeals as on 31.12.2021 was 2,736.

9.4. Any Special effort taken in the Departments to promote spirit and intention of RTI Act [Section 25(3)(f)] as reported by the Departments

Tamil Nadu Energy Development Agency (TEDA)	Petitions are being disposed off immediately, as and when they are received.
Electrical Inspectorate	Awareness among the officials and the general public were already made by conducting meetings. Required Information is also available in the website (www.tnei.tn.gov.in) of the Department.
Tamil Nadu Forest Plantation Corporation Ltd (TAFORN)	Top priority is being given to furnish reply and disposal.
Directorate of Environment (DOE)	Earnest efforts are made to give adequate information with in the stipulated time.
Tamil Nadu State Council for Higher Education (TNSCHE)	Details uploaded in the TNSCHE website (www.tnsche.tn.gov.in)
Madurai Kamarajar University	Four Assistant Public Information Officers have been nominated to implement the Right to Information Act effectively.
Bharathiar University	Special attention for early disposal of the Right to Information petition.
Alagappa University	As and when the requests are received under Right to Information Act, 2005, reply is sent to the Petitioner immediately.
Anna University	Efforts are being taken to furnish the information with in the stipulated time as per the Act.

Department of Legal Studies	The Right to Information Act, 2005, is being implemented by the Department effectively.
Industries Commissioner and Director of Industries and Commerce	Close follow up action is being taken by getting the monthly report from the Public Information Officer
Planning, Development and Special Initiatives Department	Details of Public Information Officers and Appellate Authorities are uploaded in the online portal and processed through online.
Directorate of Economics and Statistics (DOES)	Created Web portal on the list of Public Information Officers.
School Education Department	Periodical review meetings conducted by Public Information Officers.
Commissionerate of School Education	Periodical review meetings conducted by Public Information Officers.
Directorate of Matriculation Schools	Training programme was conducted to State and District level Officers and Staff on Right to Information Act, 2005.
Department of Tourism	Efforts taken for early disposal of Right to Information applications.
Tamil Nadu Legislative Assembly Secretariat	Right to Information Act implemented in letter and spirit.

9.5.Recommendations for reform or improvement of the Act or any other law relevant to operationalising the right to access to information [Section 25(3)(g) as reported by the Departments

Tamil Nadu Small Industries Corporation Ltd	Existing Right to Information Provision are self sufficient to provide or to get information to the needs of public.
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Directorate of Matriculation Schools	A manual may be published to update the knowledge on the Right to Information Act, 2005. A Report Book containing all the orders issued by the State Information Commission may be published at least once in a year. Making Right to Information mandatory in the School Curriculum.
Department of Tourism	Periodical training may be given to Right to Information Officers for updating and sessions may be organised for exchange of views.
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Villupuram) Ltd.	<p>The fees prescribed to seek information under the Right to Information Act, is meager amount. In view of this, many of them by pasting Rs.10/- Court Fee stamp on the face of the application have requested to supply information for 30 to 40 questions. The requests are not genuine. It is suggested to fix higher fee, say, Rs.250/- to Rs.500/- to seek valid information. Many of them are using Right to Information Act as a tool to seek certain information from the Organization and using them against the interest of the Institution.</p> <p>The very purpose of the Right to Information Act is to ensure transparency in the administration of Public Authority. But, majority of the public are not using in the common interest whereas, they are seeking information for irrelevant matters and also information relating to others. Even most of them are seeking voluminous information and action taken against their Complaint petitions which will certainly affect the regular functioning of the Public Authority. They prescribe table according to their needs and requesting to furnish information which requires collection, correlation and classification of the same. In total, the Right to Information Act is not utilised in the right spirit. The provisions of Right to Information Act shall be reviewed further and restrictions to be imposed for seeking irrelevant information.</p>

CHAPTER – 10

10.1.Performance of the Tamil Nadu Information Commission

This chapter presents an account of the performance of the Tamil Nadu Information Commission in disposal of Second Appeals / Complaints under the Right to Information Act, 2005 during the year 2021.

10.2.Disposal of Second Appeals during the year 2021

1.	No. of Second Appeals pending as on 31.12.2020	17374
2.	No. of Second Appeals received during the year 2021	18133
3.	Total No. of Second Appeals for disposal in 2021 (Sl.No.1 + Sl.No.2)	35507
4.	No. of Second Appeals disposed during the year 2021	13850

10.3.Disposal of Complaint Petitions during the year 2021

1.	No. of Complaint Petitions pending as on 31.12.2020	1746
2.	No. of Complaint Petitions received during the year 2021	2315
3.	Total No. of Complaint Petitions for disposal during the year 2021 (Sl.No.1 + Sl.No.2)	4061
4.	No. of Complaint Petitions disposed during the year 2021	825

10.4.Award of Compensation

The Government of Tamil Nadu vide Government Letter No.19047/AR.III/2017-1, dated: 30.01.2018, has opened the following head of account for making payment to the individual as the compensation under Section 19(8)(b) of Right to Information Act.

“2070-00-Other Administrative Services-800-Other Expenditure-CG-Compensation under Right to Information Act, 2005-51-Compensation-02-Other Compensations”
[DPC:2070-00-800-CG-5123]

The Commission by invoking Section 19(8)(b) of the Right to Information Act, 2005 has ordered awarding of compensation to the RTI petitioners by the Public Authorities as follows:

Sl. No.	Name of the Public Authority	Compensation Amount (Rs.)
1.	Revenue and Disaster Management Department	2,53,500
2.	Health and Family Welfare Department	1,15,000
3.	Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department	69,000
4.	Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department	60,000
5.	Co-operation, Food and Consumer Protection Department	49,000
6.	Agriculture and Farmers Welfare	35,000
7.	Planning, Development and Special Initiative Department	25,000
8.	Environment, Climate Change and Forest Department	20,000
9.	Energy Department	10,000
10.	Animal Husbandry, Dairying, Fisheries and Fishermen Welfare Department	5000
TOTAL		6,41,500

CHAPTER – 11

11.1.Recommendations of the Commission to the Government

In the previous Annual Reports, the Commission had made several recommendations to the Government under Section 25(5) of the RTI Act, 2005. The Commission reiterates the following recommendations, for consideration of the Government.

1. In order to provide proper and accurate information to the Petitioners by the Public authorities, it is recommended that a Comprehensive Information Management System should be developed by each public authorities for storage and retrieval of data and other information.

2. It is recommended that the Government Departments may take necessary action to upload the Government Orders and important Government letters / Instructions in their respective websites, as and when issued by them, which will be most useful to the public and Government officials.
3. The present staff strength of the Tamil Nadu Information Commission which was sanctioned at the time of formation of the Commission is not equal with the volume of work handled by the Commission, due to the increasing number of the Right to Information Second Appeal / Non Compliance / Complaints petitions. Hence, it is recommended for increasing the staff strength of the Tamil Nadu Information Commission at each and every level, which enable the Commission to discharge its functions in an effective manner.
4. As per section 19(6) of the RTI Act, 2005, Appeal shall be disposed of within thirty days of the receipt of the appeal or within such extended period, not exceeding a total of forty-five days from the date of filing thereof as the case may be for reasons to be recorded in writing. It is observed that most of the First Appellate Authorities are not furnishing the information as per the above provision of the Act. The failure on the part of the First Appellate Authorities resulted in the increasing number of Second Appeals to the Tamil Nadu Information Commission by the RTI petitioners. Hence, the Commission therefore reiterates that the Government should ensure that the Appellate Authorities in every Public Authority should comply the Appeal provisions of the Right to Information Act, 2005.

ANNEXURE

Name of the Department / Corporation / Board / Commission	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)
No. of PIOs	Previous pendency of RTI	RTI petitions received in 2021	Total	Transferred u/s 6(3) to other depts	Disposed by giving information	Rejected under Sec 8	Rejected under Sec 9	Rejected under Sec 11	Rejected under Sec 24	Rejected for other reasons	RTI petitions pending as on 31/12/21	Charges received (Rupees)	No of First Appellate	Previous pendency of First Appeals	First Appeals received in 2021	Total	First Appeals disposed by giving information	First Appeals rejected	First Appeals pending as on 31/12/21	
Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Department, Secretariat	8	0	306	149	146	0	0	0	9	2	0	0	0	3	0	6	6	5	1	0
Directorate of Adi Dravidar Welfare	2	0	378	0	378	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	70	70	70	0	0
Directorate of Tribal Welfare	8	0	69	8	57	0	0	0	0	0	4	690	8	0	2	2	2	2	0	0
Tamil Nadu Adi Dravidar Housing and Development Corporation (TAHDCCO)	43	0	73	10	57	0	0	0	0	6	0	620	0	0	16	16	16	16	0	0
Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare Department Total	61	0	826	167	638	0	0	0	9	8	4	1310	13	0	94	94	94	93	1	0
Agriculture Department, Secretariat	11	0	182	150	28	0	4	0	0	0	0	2537	5	0	7	7	7	4	3	0
Directorate of Agriculture	93	79	1683	313	1266	13	1	0	0	50	119	27572	37	18	219	237	200	21	16	16
Directorate of Horticulture and Plantation Crops	131	10	492	502	430	0	0	0	0	0	26	1716	39	16	90	106	106	0	0	0
Agricultural Marketing and Agri Business	190	3	276	34	211	5	0	0	0	28	1	1888	65	1	53	54	52	2	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Agricultural Marketing Board	4	0	10	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	2	2	2	0	0	0
Directorate of Seed Certification and Organic Certification	1	0	26	3	22	0	0	0	0	0	1	120	1	0	3	3	3	0	0	0
Agricultural Engineering	152	1	416	31	375	2	0	0	0	7	2	1738	143	1	32	33	30	3	0	0
Tamil Nadu Agricultural University	2	4	203	2	158	16	0	3	0	21	7	1680	1	1	25	26	26	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Watershed Development Agency	1	0	17	0	17	0	0	0	0	0	0	100	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Agriculture Department, Total	585	97	3305	579	2514	36	5	3	0	106	159	37351	292	37	431	468	423	29	16	16
Animal Husbandry, Dairying Fisheries & Fishermen Welfare Department, Secretariat	6	0	107	83	16	0	0	0	0	8	0	802	4	0	5	5	5	5	0	0

Name of the Department/ Corporation / Board / Commission	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)
		No. of PIOs	Previous pendency of RTI	RTI petitions received in 2021	Total	Transferred u/s 6(3) to other depts	Disposed by giving information	Rejected under Sec 8	Rejected under Sec 9	Rejected under Sec 11	Rejected under Sec 24	Rejected for other reasons	RTI petitions pending as on 31/12/21	Charges received (Rupees)	No of First Appellate	Previous pendency of First Appeals	First Appeals received in 2021	Total	First Appeals disposed by giving information	First Appeals rejected	First Appeals pending as on 31/12/21
Directorate of Milk Production and Dairy Development		30	13	330	343	88	233	0	0	0	0	15	7	4838	30	1	37	38	35	2	1
Tamil Nadu Co-operative Milk Producers Federation		11	7	90	97	36	56	3	0	0	0	0	2	972	11	0	11	11	11	0	0
Tamil Nadu Veterinary and Animal Sciences University		1	1	78	79	1	73	0	0	0	0	0	5	700	1	0	5	5	0	5	0
Commissioner of Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Services		33	4	660	664	17	634	3	0	0	0	7	3	6430	1	2	98	100	98	1	1
Tamil Nadu Livestock Development Agency		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Commissionerate of Fisheries & Fishermen Welfare		51	1	515	516	60	453	3	0	0	0	0	0	1198	11	0	32	32	31	0	1
Tamil Nadu Dr.J.Jayalalitha Fisheries University		1	0	10	10	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	1	90	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
Tamil Nadu Fisheries Development Corporation		1	0	5	5	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Apex Fisheries Co-operative Federation		2	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Animal Husbandry, Dairying Fisheries & Fishermen Welfare Department Total		137	26	1797	1823	287	1479	9	0	0	0	30	18	15070	59	3	189	192	181	8	3
Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Department, Secretariat		5	0	225	225	49	174	0	0	0	0	2	0	2940	3	0	16	16	14	2	0
Directorate of Backward Classes Welfare		41	0	492	492	88	404	0	0	0	0	0	0	1180	41	0	17	17	12	5	0
Directorate of Most Backward Classes & Denotified Communities Welfare		4	0	120	120	0	120	0	0	0	0	0	0	672	1	0	3	3	3	0	0
Directorate of Minorities Welfare		1	10	29	39	8	9	0	0	0	0	0	22	0	1	0	4	4	1	0	3

Name of the Department/ Corporation / Board / Commission	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)	(5)	(6)	(7)	(8)	(9)	(10)	(11)	(12)	(13)	(14)	(15)	(16)	(17)	(18)	(19)	(20)	(21)	
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Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Commission		1	0	16	16	4	8	0	0	0	0	4	0	356	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Minorities Commission		1	0	10	10	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	100	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Backward Classes Economic Development Corporation		1	0	15	15	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	150	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Minorities Economic Development Corporation		1	0	7	7	1	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Wakf Board		1	12	1465	1477	11	1349	0	0	0	0	102	15	1310	1	8	108	116	110	3	3	3
Tamilnadu Vanniyakula Kshatriya public Charitable Trust and Endowment Board		1	0	7	7	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	100	1	0	2	2	2	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Haji Committee		1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Denotified Communities Welfare Board		1	0	2	2	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Backward Classes, Most Backward Classes and Minorities Welfare Department Total		59	22	2389	2411	167	2099	0	0	0	0	108	37	6848	54	8	150	158	142	10	6	6
Commercial Taxes and Registration Department, Secretariat		13	1	372	373	215	132	1	0	0	0	18	7	1026	4	0	38	38	33	2	3	3
Commissionerate of Commercial Taxes		451	27	569	596	65	423	49	0	4	0	31	24	1166	71	3	81	84	62	18	4	4
Registration		719	115	20408	20523	803	19394	50	0	0	3	68	205	57702	74	18	2240	2258	2198	3	57	57
Tamil Nadu Sales Tax Appellate Tribunal		17	0	10	10	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Commercial Taxes and Registration Department Total		1200	143	21359	21502	1083	19958	100	0	4	3	117	237	59894	150	21	2359	2360	2293	23	64	64
Co-operation, Food and Consumer Protection Department, Secretariat		8	0	382	382	316	66	0	0	0	0	0	0	52	0	0	17	17	17	0	0	0

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Registrar of Co-operative Societies	184	115	4955	5070	1496	3310	10	2	7	0	121	125	104	36	33	905	938	863	46	29	
Commissioner of Civil Supplies and Consumer Protection	23	1	611	612	163	435	0	0	4	0	10	0	5528	22	0	68	68	64	4	0	
Tamil Nadu Civil Supplies Corporation	49	22	778	800	21	735	5	0	0	0	0	39	2987	34	0	113	113	106	0	7	
State Consumer Disputes Redressal Commission	32	0	144	144	10	134	0	0	0	0	0	0	1467	1	0	24	24	24	0	0	
Tamil Nadu Warehousing Corporation	1	4	16	20	0	18	0	0	0	0	1	1	1626	1	2	5	7	7	0	0	
Co-operation, Food and Consumer Protection Department Total	297	142	6886	7028	2005	4698	15	2	11	0	132	165	11764	94	35	1132	1167	1081	50	36	
Energy Department, Secretariat	6	0	197	197	183	3	0	0	0	0	11	0	1970	2	0	19	19	19	0	0	
Tamil Nadu Generation and Distribution Corporation Limited	275	264	7312	7576	1063	6145	28	1	25	52	173	89	80504	85	45	1135	1180	1055	45	80	
Tamil Nadu Energy Development Agency	1	0	10	10	8	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Electrical Inspectorate	25	0	90	90	0	78	0	0	0	0	0	12	804	1	0	13	13	12	0	1	
Tamil Nadu Electricity Regulatory Commission	1	0	110	110	40	70	0	0	0	0	0	0	250	1	0	8	8	8	0	0	
Tamil Nadu Power Finance and Infrastructure Development Corporation Limited	0	0	30	30	0	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Energy Department Total	308	264	7749	8013	1294	6328	28	1	25	52	184	101	83558	89	45	1175	1220	1094	45	81	
Environment, Climate Change & Forest Department, Secretariat	7	0	186	186	121	63	2	0	0	0	0	0	124	4	0	9	9	8	1	0	
Tamil Nadu Forests Department	1	88	372	460	141	169	0	0	0	0	21	129	3420	1	0	27	27	15	0	12	
Tamil Nadu Pollution Control Board	62	0	2317	2317	18	2239	0	0	0	0	0	0	63545	1	0	156	156	156	0	0	
Directorate of Environment	1	0	67	67	8	59	0	0	0	0	0	0	1780	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	
Tamil Nadu Forest Plantation Corporation Limited	7	0	9	9	0	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	90	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	

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Arasu Rubber Corporation Limited		1	4	29	33	0	27	0	0	0	0	4	2	270	1	1	4	5	5	0	0
The Tamil Nadu Tea Plantation Corporation Limited		1	0	41	41	0	39	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	2	2	2	0	0
Environment, Climate Change & Forest Department Total		80	92	3021	3113	288	2665	2	0	0	0	25	133	69229	17	1	198	199	186	1	12
Finance Department, Secretariat		1	1	1058	1059	166	872	2	0	1	0	14	4	13588	1	1	82	83	83	0	0
Commissionerate of Treasuries and Accounts		54	41	1654	1695	227	1349	24	0	3	0	63	29	14516	13	4	186	190	190	0	0
Co-operative Audit Department		41	9	163	172	15	130	0	0	0	0	19	8	16113	8	1	21	22	9	11	2
Commissionerate of Small Savings		32	0	6	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	32	0	1	1	1	0	0
Directorate of Local Fund Audit		69	17	500	517	4	487	0	0	0	0	0	26	4869	9	5	69	74	72	0	2
State Government Audit		38	0	59	59	0	56	0	0	0	0	0	3	2242	1	0	9	9	9	0	0
Commissionerate of Government Data Centre		1	0	26	26	0	26	0	0	0	0	0	0	260	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
Directorate of Pension		1	0	145	145	40	85	0	0	0	0	18	2	1445	1	0	9	9	5	3	1
Directorate of Audit for Milk Cooperative		6	0	28	28	3	21	0	0	0	0	4	0	1008	1	0	3	3	3	0	0
Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowments(Audit wing)		28	3	30	33	3	29	0	0	0	0	0	1	290	1	0	5	5	5	0	0
Finance Department Total		271	71	3689	3740	458	3061	26	0	4	0	118	73	54371	68	11	386	397	378	14	5
Handlooms, Handicrafts, Textiles and Khadi Department, Secretariat		3	0	59	59	39	15	1	0	0	0	4	0	420	2	0	7	7	6	1	0
Commissioner of Handlooms and Textiles		38	2	394	396	78	300	7	0	0	0	11	0	16120	38	2	91	93	79	14	0
Directorate of Sericulture		39	6	64	70	4	60	1	0	0	0	3	2	1218	34	1	21	22	19	0	3
Tamil Nadu Handicrafts Development Corporation		1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Co-optex		12	1	83	84	0	84	0	0	0	0	0	0	528	12	0	5	5	5	0	0

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Tamil Nadu Khadi Village Industries Board		8	0	32	32	2	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	1526	1	0	3	3	3	0	0	0	
Tamil Nadu Palm Product Development Board		1	0	10	10	3	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	100	1	0	3	3	3	0	0	0	
Handlooms, Handicrafts, Textiles and Khadi Department Total		102	9	643	652	126	497	9	0	0	0	18	2	19912	89	3	130	133	115	15	3	3	
Health and Family Welfare Department, Secretariat		30	4	821	825	562	197	1	0	0	0	65	0	7536	9	1	27	28	24	3	1	1	
Director of Medical Education		88	63	4686	4759	187	4105	183	39	6	7	89	143	15150	88	3	217	220	199	12	9	9	
Director of Medical and Rural Health Services		336	32	3023	3055	987	1799	20	7	4	0	98	140	17130	129	11	206	217	178	7	32	32	
Director of Public Health and Preventive Medicine		43	67	1522	1589	270	1171	10	0	0	0	88	50	3231	43	7	152	159	127	22	10	10	
Director of Medical and Rural Health Services (ESI)		237	0	159	159	40	91	7	0	0	0	21	0	510	12	0	19	19	16	3	0	0	
Directorate of Family Welfare		5	0	39	39	20	16	1	0	0	0	2	0	300	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Directorate of Indian Medicine and Homoeopathy		32	0	269	269	5	259	2	0	0	0	3	0	2840	32	0	9	9	9	0	0	0	0
Commissioner of Food Safety and Drug Administration		39	28	1189	1217	117	971	0	9	2	1	0	117	60	1	2	7	9	9	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Medical Services Corporation Limited		1	2	82	84	4	68	5	0	0	0	3	4	480	1	0	5	5	5	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Health Systems Project		3	5	74	79	0	79	0	0	0	0	0	0	590	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Health Transport Department		8	0	10	10	0	6	1	0	0	0	0	3	85	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0
Directorate of Drugs Control		27	23	443	466	53	403	0	0	0	0	0	10	12522	27	0	23	23	23	0	0	0	0
Medical Services Recruitment Board (MRB)		1	0	95	95	18	77	0	0	0	0	0	0	716	1	0	4	4	4	0	0	0	0
National Health Mission		1	0	49	49	13	36	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	4	4	4	0	0	0	0

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Health and Family Welfare Department Total	851	12471	224	12695	2276	9278	230	55	12	8	369	467	60950	348	25	673	698	599	47	52	
Higher Education Department, Secretariat	5	567	0	567	271	257	0	0	0	0	0	39	0	5784	3	0	65	65	62	3	0
Commissionerate of Technical Education	1	606	0	606	33	566	4	0	3	0	0	0	0	628	1	0	61	61	61	0	0
Directorate of Collegiate Education	12	1588	0	1588	48	1539	0	0	0	0	1	0	9557	10	0	190	190	190	0	0	0
Commissionerate of Tamil Nadu Archives and Historical Research	9	8975	180	9155	569	8586	0	0	0	0	0	0	50	34826	1	0	158	158	158	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Council for Higher Education	1	146	0	146	19	127	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	6	6	6	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Council for Technical Education	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Science and Technology Centre	4	7	0	7	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Council for Science and Technology	1	5	0	5	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Science City	1	4	0	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
University of Madras	3	459	12	471	12	427	5	2	4	0	3	18	3910	1	3	32	35	29	0	0	6
Annamalai University	4	458	0	458	6	414	31	0	0	0	0	0	7	880	3	0	52	52	48	0	4
Madurai Kamaraj University	1	564	2395	2959	16	228	2	0	0	0	15	2698	7040	1	246	103	349	82	0	0	267
Manonmaniam Sundaranar University	1	322	25	347	4	281	21	0	0	0	1	40	3010	1	4	28	32	24	0	0	8
Bharathidasan University	1	219	37	256	10	216	0	0	0	0	5	25	510	1	24	37	61	43	0	0	18
Bharathiar University	57	39	126	165	39	126	0	0	0	0	0	0	1260	3	0	3	3	3	0	0	0
Alageppa University	1	0	174	174	2	160	10	0	0	0	2	0	62	1	0	17	17	15	2	0	0
Thiruvalluvar University	1	95	21	116	2	41	0	0	0	0	0	0	73	0	1	7	7	0	0	0	7
Peiyar University	1	343	343	723	5	320	34	0	0	0	0	0	364	3064	1	57	189	246	211	0	35
Mother Teresa Women's University	1	80	1	81	3	74	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	800	1	0	2	2	2	0	0

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Tamil Nadu Open University	1	0	108	108	0	108	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	11	11	11	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Teachers Education University	3	0	86	86	3	81	0	0	0	0	2	0	860	1	0	2	2	2	0	0	0
Anna University	1	179	625	804	37	563	0	0	0	0	16	188	9708	1	74	172	246	168	1	77	77
Higher Education Department Total	111	3232	15595	18827	1080	14080	107	2	7	0	84	3467	81909	37	408	1136	1544	1116	6	422	422
Highways and Minor Ports Department, Secretariat	5	0	189	189	155	26	1	0	0	0	7	0	1291	2	0	19	19	16	3	0	0
Directorate of Highways	148	48	3889	3937	715	3075	25	0	0	4	57	61	31096	30	10	281	291	283	4	4	4
Tamil Nadu Maritime Board	1	1	14	15	1	11	0	0	0	0	3	0	198	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0
Poompuhar Shipping Corporation	2	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Road Infrastructure Development Company Ltd.	1	3	55	58	8	46	0	0	0	0	1	3	22	1	0	5	5	5	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Road Infrastructure Development Corporation	2	0	16	16	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Highways and Minor Ports Department Total	159	52	4166	4218	879	3177	26	0	0	4	68	64	32637	36	10	306	316	305	7	4	4
Home, Prohibition and Excise	50	2	1448	1450	1086	339	0	0	0	7	17	1	12184	8	0	140	140	135	5	0	0
Home Department Prohibition and Excise Wing	14	0	58	58	34	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	244	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Marketing Corporation Limited	44	60	1596	1656	16	1578	5	0	0	0	19	38	12077	6	0	161	161	150	11	0	0
Commissionerate of Prohibition and Excise	5	2	48	50	14	34	0	0	0	0	0	2	480	2	0	1	1	1	0	0	0
State Advisory Board	1	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Police Department	132	1280	40377	42257	2405	35415	1262	0	243	279	1000	1653	448653	89	96	4478	4574	4038	293	243	243
Tamil Nadu Police Housing Corporation	13	0	41	41	0	34	0	0	0	0	0	7	0	4	0	5	5	5	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Uniform Services Recruitment Board	1	13	571	584	35	516	10	0	0	0	23	0	424	1	0	22	22	18	4	0	0

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Prisons Department		28	38	1279	1317	173	968	11	0	70	0	77	18	11995	7	0	48	48	46	2	0
Transport Commissionerate		184	34	5413	5447	523	4754	7	0	3	0	42	118	53530	184	0	223	223	211	10	2
The Principal Seat of High Court of Madras		1	196	1464	1660	303	1257	0	0	0	0	0	90	15091	0	137	546	683	627	0	56
Madurai Bench of Madras High Court, Madurai		1	21	479	500	60	440	0	0	0	0	0	0	3917		0	0	0	0	0	0
Government Litigations		14	0	22	22	4	13	0	0	0	0	0	5	130	2	0	2	2	1	0	1
Directorate of Prosecution		28	1	120	121	16	105	0	0	0	0	0	0	315	1	1	4	5	2	3	0
Fire and Rescue Services Department		45	0	723	723	0	708	3	0	1	0	0	11	6123	45	0	65	65	64	1	0
Forensic Sciences Department		11	10	94	104	5	86	6	0	0	0	5	2	770	1	3	17	20	18	0	2
Home Prohibition and Excise Department Total		572	1657	54326	55983	4674	46274	1304	0	317	286	1183	1945	565933	354	237	5712	5949	5316	329	304
Housing and Urban Development Department, Secretariat		7	0	347	347	173	172	1	0	0	0	1	0	3226	5	0	9	9	9	0	0
Directorate of Town and Country Planning		58	111	2359	2470	345	2043	0	0	0	0	0	82	71105	51	26	136	162	123	0	39
Chennai Metropolitan Development Authority		22	37	1727	1764	65	1699	0	0	0	0	0	0	71656	16	20	171	191	124	0	67
Registrar of Co-operative Societies (Housing)		12	9	347	356	75	250	13	0	0	0	5	13	3032	12	0	43	43	40	3	0
Tamil Nadu Urban Habitat Development Board		57	0	601	601	11	543	0	0	0	0	0	47	6744	34	0	97	97	81	0	16
Tamil Nadu Housing Board		32	10	1838	1848	47	1748	7	0	0	0	46	0	12557	32	0	171	171	171	0	0
Housing and Urban Development Department Total		188	167	7219	7386	716	6455	21	0	0	0	52	142	168320	150	46	627	673	548	3	122
Industries Department, Secretariat		5	0	157	157	116	34	2	0	0	0	4	1	1426	4	0	5	5	3	2	0
Directorate of Geology and Mining		43	39	1370	1409	102	1159	17	3	5	0	38	85	24320	1	4	174	178	159	11	8
Directorate of Sugar		1	0	23	23	5	15	0	0	0	0	3	0	608	1	0	4	4	4	0	0
State Industries Promotion Corporation		1	0	225	225	35	168	0	0	0	0	18	4	1940	1	2	12	14	14	0	0

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Tamil Nadu Industrial Development Corporation		1	0	62	62	27	34	0	0	0	0	1	0	450	1	0	3	3	3	3	0	0
Tamil Nadu Industrial Investment Corporation Ltd.,		1	3	65	68	5	53	1	0	0	0	0	9	276	1	1	9	10	9	1	0	0
Tamil Nadu Salt Corporation Ltd.,		1	0	5	5	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Newsprint and Papers Ltd.,		3	2	34	36	0	29	5	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	0	5	5	1	4	0	0
Tamil Nadu Cements Corporation		10	0	62	62	0	62	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	0	10	10	0	10	0	0
Tamil Nadu Magnesite Limited		1	1	15	16	0	14	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	2	2	2	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Industrial Explosives Ltd.,		1	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
Tamil Nadu Minerals Ltd.,		1	0	6	6	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
Tamil Nadu Sugar Corporation		1	0	16	16	14	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	28	0	0	3	3	3	3	0	0
Industries Department Total		70	45	2043	2088	304	1584	25	3	5	0	66	101	29048	25	7	229	236	200	28	8	8
Information Technology Department, Secretariat		2	0	48	48	13	34	0	0	0	0	1	0	360	1	0	3	3	3	0	0	0
Electronics Corporation of Tamil Nadu Ltd.,		1	0	45	45	0	41	0	0	0	0	4	0	410	1	0	3	3	3	0	0	0
e-Governance		1	0	57	57	6	46	5	0	0	0	0	0	570	1	0	5	5	5	0	0	0
Tamil Virtual Academy		0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Arasu Cable TV Corporation Ltd.		34	4	73	77	6	47	1	0	3	0	18	2	710	1	0	15	15	12	2	1	1
Tamil Nadu Fibrenet Corporation Ltd.		1	0	5	5	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	50	1	0	1	1	1	1	0	0
Information Technology Department Total		39	4	228	232	25	173	6	0	3	0	23	2	2100	5	0	27	27	24	2	1	1
Labour Welfare and Skill Development Department, Secretariat		8	1	276	277	153	113	7	0	0	0	4	0	878	3	0	9	9	8	1	0	0
Commissionerate of Labour		493	11	1266	1277	121	1077	63	0	1	0	0	15	13861	48	4	182	186	175	5	6	6

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Directorate of Industrial Safety and Health	62	25	796	821	122	671	4	0	0	0	1	23	8755	33	2	58	60	56	3	1
Commissionerate of Employment and Training (Employment wing)	55	19	727	746	45	663	2	0	0	0	3	33	6850	7	3	73	76	73	0	3
Commissionerate of Employment and Training (Training)	129	16	178	194	4	175	0	0	0	0	1	14	2148	37	1	15	16	16	0	0
Directorate of Medical and Rural Health Services (ESI)	237	0	159	159	40	91	7	0	0	0	21	0	510	12	0	19	19	16	3	0
Overseas Manpower Corporation Ltd.,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Skill Development Corporation	1	0	12	12	6	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	120	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Labour Welfare and Skill Development Department, Secretariat Total	985	72	3414	3486	491	2796	83	0	1	0	30	85	33122	140	10	356	366	344	12	10
Law Department, Secretariat	1	0	245	245	125	96	0	0	0	0	24	0	1960	1	0	24	24	24	0	0
Department of Legal Studies	15	0	116	116	2	114	0	0	0	0	0	0	1160	2	0	3	3	3	0	0
Tamil Nadu Dr.Ambedkar Law University, Chennai	1	4	111	115	5	93	0	0	0	0	1	16	1090	1	0	8	8	8	0	0
Tamil Nadu National Law University Tiruchirappalli	1	0	8	8	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	80	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Law Department Total	18	4	480	484	132	311	0	0	0	0	25	16	4290	5	0	35	35	35	0	0
Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Department, Secretariat	3	0	69	69	37	31	1	0	0	0	0	0	948	3	0	2	2	1	1	0
Commissionerate of Industries and Commerce	50	16	289	305	45	206	10	0	0	0	23	21	3328	45	0	41	41	24	16	1
Tamil Nadu Small Industries Development Corporation Limited	5	4	33	37	0	27	5	0	0	0	0	5	250	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
Tamil Nadu Small Industries	1	0	5	5	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	1	0	1	1	1	0	0

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Corporation Limited																						
Tamil Nadu Entrepreneurship Development and Innovation Institute		1	2	5	7	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	1	1	0	1	1	0	0	0
Micro, Small and Medium Enterprises Department Total		60	22	401	423	87	271	16	0	0	0	23	26	4596	511	45	45	46	28	17	1	1
Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department, Secretariat		8	1	663	664	470	181	2	0	1	0	10	0	222	4	0	62	62	59	3	0	0
Commissionerate of Municipal Administration		7	0	383	383	129	254	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	194	194	194	0	0	0
Chennai Metropolitan Water Supply and Sewerage Board		43	3	690	693	33	646	5	0	1	0	0	8	23022	21	0	92	92	91	0	1	1
Greater Chennai Corporation		93	177	5685	5862	852	4566	22	2	3	0	61	336	1964	47	89	711	800	723	19	58	58
Commissionerate of Town Panchayats		508	34	11912	11946	688	11156	6	9	0	0	73	14	3870	18	9	1113	1122	1103	13	6	6
Tamil Nadu Water Supply and Drainage Board		32	13	378	391	4	386	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Municipal Administration and Water Supply Department Total		691	228	19711	19939	2176	17209	36	11	5	0	144	358	29078	123	98	2172	2270	2170	35	65	65
Human Resources Management Department, Secretariat		16	3	2661	2664	1335	1299	1	0	0	0	22	7	25092	10	2	163	165	129	35	1	1
Tamil Nadu Public Service Commission		28	12	1676	1688	56	1518	10	0	0	0	104	0	97800	5	0	51	51	50	1	0	0
Directorate of Vigilance and Anti Corruption		1	31	385	416	7	352	11	0	0	0	9	37	3959	1	7	63	70	65	0	5	5
Commissioner for Disciplinary Proceedings, Chennai		1	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0
Commissioner for Disciplinary Proceedings, Tiruchirappalli		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Commissioner for Disciplinary Proceedings, Madurai		1	0	4	4	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Commissioner for Disciplinary Proceedings, Coimbatore		1	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

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Commissioner for Disciplinary Proceedings, Tirunelveli	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Commissioner for Disciplinary Proceedings, Nagarcoll	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Lokayukta	1	0	7	7	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	40	1	0	1	1	0	1	0
Director General of Training	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
A & B wing foundational course Training Institute	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
All India Civil Services Coaching Centre	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Civil Service Training Institute, Bhavanisagar	1	0	16	16	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	160	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Anna Administrative Staff College	1	0	7	7	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	50	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Competitive Exam Coaching Centre	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Human Resources Management Department Total	58	46	4761	4807	1399	3202	25	0	0	0	137	44	127/01	29	9	279	288	245	37	6
Planning, Development and Special Initiatives (OP/MC)Department, Secretariat	1	0	26	26	16	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	1550	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
State Planning Commission	1	0	3	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Department of Economics and Statistics	1	0	77	77	18	59	0	0	0	0	0	0	50	1	0	3	3	2	0	1
Directorate of Evaluation and Applied Research	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Special Area Development and Programme	1	0	5	5	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Planning, Development and Special Initiatives (SI) Department	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chennai Metro Rail Ltd.	1	0	170	170	5	141	24	0	0	0	0	0	1850	1	0	13	13	13	0	0

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Planning, Development and Special Initiatives (SI) Department Total	7	0	282	282	46	212	24	0	0	0	0	0	3450	7	0	16	16	15	0	1
Public Department, Secretariat	18	1	4124	4125	3068	511	23	0	0	9	514	0	42388	7	0	253	253	238	15	0
Governor's Secretariat	1	0	207	207	80	111	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Governor's House Hold Office, Raj Bhavan	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
State Human Rights Commission	1	8	618	626	17	574	0	0	0	0	0	35	4485	1	0	68	68	64	3	1
State Guest House, Chempauk	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu House, New Delhi	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamizhagam Guest House, Udhagamandalam	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Ex-Servicemen Corporation	1	0	19	19	0	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	160	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
Directorate of Ex-servicemen's Welfare	31	3	109	112	5	97	7	0	0	0	3	0	520	31	0	10	10	9	1	0
Commissionerate of Rehabilitation	3	0	16	16	0	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	176	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Overseas Manpower Corporation Ltd.	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	20	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Public Department Total	60	12	5096	5108	3170	1331	46	0	0	9	517	35	47749	48	0	332	332	312	19	1
Public Works Department/ Water Resources Dept., Secretariat	25	6	302	308	246	46	14	0	0	0	0	2	2187	9	0	20	20	15	4	1
Engineer -In- Chief (Buildings) & CE (Buildings), Chennai Region, PWD	195	19	1066	1085	190	861	5	0	0	0	5	24	32969	195	2	51	53	44	2	7
Engineer- in-Chief, Water Resources Department	2	8	412	420	204	178	1	0	3	0	23	11	2552	2	0	70	70	66	1	3
Water Resources Department, Chennai Region	48	0	617	617	617	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6170	4	0	52	52	52	0	0
Water Resources Department, Trichy Region	26	7	520	527	40	475	1	0	0	0	2	9	5984	26	2	119	121	120	1	0
Water Resources Department,	90	9	818	827	96	720	0	0	0	0	0	11	13030	56	0	65	65	61	3	1

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Madurai Region																						
Water Resources Department, Coimbatore Region		1	0	75	75	2	73	0	0	0	0	0	0	700	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Design Research and Construction Support Department		8	0	54	54	12	42	0	0	0	0	0	0	56	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Plan Formulation Department		16	0	28	28	12	16	0	0	0	0	0	0	190	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Operation and Maintenance Department		5	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
State Ground Water and Surface Water Resources Data Centre		14	4	143	147	33	107	0	0	0	0	1	6	1955	13	0	6	6	6	0	0	0
Institute for Water Studies		1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Irrigation Management Training Institute		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Cauvery Technical Cell		1	0	4	4	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
State Water Resources Management Agency WRD, Taramani, Chennai		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Public Works Department / Water Resources Department Total		434	53	4041	4094	1452	2524	21	0	3	0	31	63	65803	333	4	383	387	364	11	12	
Revenue and Disaster Management Department, Secretariat		10	0	2215	2215	1874	316	0	0	0	0	25	0	210	7	0	95	95	79	16	0	
Commissionerate of Revenue D.M. and Mitigation		751	1594	118504	120098	30845	83379	367	70	228	65	1421	3723	0	611	470	11781	12251	11363	233	655	
Commissionerate of Land Administration		8	5	827	832	500	319	0	0	0	0	13	0	9890	4	0	56	56	50	6	0	
Commissionerate of Land Reforms		3	4	250	254	31	201	0	0	0	0	0	22	86	1	0	4	4	4	0	0	
Commissionerate of Survey and Settlement		101	173	8302	8475	3155	5140	0	0	0	0	17	163	81143	35	108	3724	3832	3722	20	90	
Commissionerate of Urban Land Ceiling and Urban Land Tax		8	16	348	364	10	337	0	0	0	0	0	17	5354	1	0	25	25	24	0	1	
Revenue and Disaster Management		881	1792	130446	132238	36415	89692	367	70	228	65	1476	3925	96683	659	578	15685	16263	15242	275	746	

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Department Total																						
Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department, Secretariat		9	0	716	716	620	80	6	0	0	0	10	0	6820	4	0	30	30	28	2	0	0
Directorate of Rural Development & Panchayat Raj		1214	2850	29188	32038	4031	25189	65	2	0	0	143	2808	448923	1019	738	3252	3990	3361	45	584	0
Tamil Nadu Corporation for Development of Women		39	16	310	326	16	295	0	0	1	0	2	12	514	39	2	35	37	35	0	2	0
Tamil Nadu Rural Transformation Project		1	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Coastal sustainable Livelihood Society		1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Election Commission		1	0	349	349	241	108	0	0	0	0	0	0	3348	15	0	15	15	15	0	0	0
State Institute of Rural Development		1	0	5	5	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Rural Development and Panchayat Raj Department Total		1266	2866	30571	33437	4908	25660	71	2	1	0	155	2620	459605	1079	740	3333	4073	3440	47	586	0
School Education Department, Secretariat		6	0	909	909	695	137	0	0	0	0	77	0	9060	4	0	52	52	50	2	0	0
Directorate of School Education		1	0	2270	2270	520	1746	0	0	0	0	4	0	22700	1	0	122	122	122	0	0	0
Directorate of Elementary Education		1	0	761	761	483	278	0	0	0	0	0	0	7610	1	0	7	7	7	0	0	0
Directorate of Matriculation Schools		1	0	202	202	117	85	0	0	0	0	0	0	2020	1	0	4	4	4	0	0	0
Directorate of Nonformal & Adult Education		1	0	8	8	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	80	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Directorate of State Council of Education Research and Training		33	0	112	112	6	85	0	0	0	0	21	0	260	33	0	11	11	9	2	0	0
Directorate of Government Examinations		9	0	412	412	26	386	0	0	0	0	0	0	6996	2	0	30	30	30	0	0	0
Directorate of Public Libraries		35	0	664	664	1	663	0	0	0	0	0	0	8009	35	0	58	58	58	0	0	0

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Tamil Nadu Text Book and Educational Services Corporation	23	0	21	21	6	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	260	1	0	11	11	11	0	0
Teachers Recruitment Board	1	389	805	1194	22	772	0	0	0	0	0	400	8050	1	35	100	135	64	0	71
State Project Directorate of Samagra Shiksha Abhiyan	33	7	214	221	8	205	0	0	0	0	0	8	2140	33	2	11	13	13	0	0
School Education Department Total	144	396	6378	6774	1884	4380	0	0	0	0	102	408	67185	113	37	406	443	368	4	71
Social Reforms Department Total	2	0	2	2	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Social Welfare and Women Empowerment Department, Secretariat	3	0	203	203	155	43	0	0	0	0	5	0	280	2	0	10	10	8	1	1
Directorate of Social Welfare	39	15	259	274	17	245	0	0	0	0	0	12	1600	39	0	15	15	15	0	0
Commissionerate of Social Defence	17	0	37	37	0	34	0	0	0	0	2	1	918	17	0	0	0	0	0	0
Directorate of Integrated Child Development Services	1	0	61	61	27	34	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Social Welfare Board	1	0	5	5	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Social Welfare and Women Empowerment Department Total	61	15	565	580	200	360	0	0	0	0	7	13	2798	59	0	25	25	23	1	1
Special Programme Implementation Department Total	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	10	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Development and Information Department, Secretariat	7	0	59	59	29	28	0	0	0	0	2	0	400	3	0	6	6	5	1	0
Directorate of Tamil Development	36	0	103	103	0	103	0	0	0	0	0	0	1238	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil University, Thanjavur	1	2	99	101	0	99	0	0	0	0	0	2	1010	1	0	5	5	5	0	0
International Institute of Tamil Studies	1	0	15	15	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	150	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
UJaga Tamil Sangam, Madurai	1	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
Directorate of Tamil Etymological Dictionary Project	1	0	32	32	0	32	0	0	0	0	0	0	320	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Directorate of Information and Public	1	0	154	154	18	130	0	0	0	0	0	6	3510	1	0	14	14	8	0	6

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Relations																						
Directorate of Stationery and Printing		10	3	160	163	21	118	1	0	0	0	20	3	1412	10	0	17	17	17	0	0	0
Tamil Development and Information Department Total		58	5	625	630	68	528	1	0	0	0	22	11	8070	19	0	43	43	36	1	6	6
Tourism, Culture and Religious Endowments Department, Secretariat.		6	0	238	238	177	61	0	0	0	0	0	0	2300	3	0	18	18	18	0	0	0
Directorate of Museum		1	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Commissionerate of Art and Culture		16	2	91	93	6	86	0	0	1	0	0	0	1392	2	0	4	4	4	0	0	0
Commissionerate of Archaeology		19	0	31	31	1	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	390	5	0	1	1	1	0	0	0
Commissionerate of Tourism		38	3	35	38	1	29	6	0	0	0	0	2	270	2	0	2	2	2	1	0	1
Commissionerate of Hindu Religious and Charitable Endowments		106	138	5797	5935	0	5837	0	0	0	0	0	98	53490	106	0	378	378	360	0	0	18
Tamil Nadu Tourism Development Corporation		5	1	33	34	4	26	0	0	0	0	2	2	450	1	0	2	2	2	0	0	0
Tourism, Culture and Religious Endowments Department Total		191	144	6228	6372	189	6072	6	0	1	0	2	102	58322	120	0	405	405	386	0	19	19
Transport Department, Secretariat		4	0	411	411	336	68	0	0	0	0	7	0	4084	2	0	44	44	39	5	0	0
Metropolitan Transport Corporation (Chennai) Ltd.,		1	22	477	499	7	436	33	0	0	0	20	3	8130	1	5	109	114	114	0	0	0
State Express Transport Corporation, Chennai		1	26	453	479	11	416	10	0	2	0	21	19	5706	1	5	63	68	65	0	0	3
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Villupuram) Ltd.,		1	46	654	700	8	547	8	0	0	0	0	137	22679	1	7	139	146	115	0	0	31
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Salem), Ltd.,		1	55	870	925	0	844	0	0	0	0	0	81	25653	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Coimbatore) Ltd.,		1	98	1423	1521	3	1439	0	0	0	0	0	79	18756	1	19	140	159	138	0	0	21

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Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Kumbakonam) Ltd.,		1	69	817	886	5	773	30	0	0	0	37	41	32595	1	5	95	100	86	11	3
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Madurai) Ltd.,		1	28	727	755	5	667	15	0	0	0	0	48	17383	1	15	40	55	41	0	14
Tamil Nadu State Transport Corporation (Tirunelveli) Ltd.,		1	0	756	756	3	728	0	0	0	0	10	15	9042	1	0	82	82	82	0	0
Motor Vehicles & Maintenance Department, Chennai		1	0	38	38	1	37	0	0	0	0	0	0	380	1	0	2	2	2	0	0
Institute of Road Transport, Chennai		21	0	19	19	9	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	100	1	0	2	2	2	0	0
Transport Development Finance Corporation Ltd.,		1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Pallavan Transport Consultancy Services, Chennai		2	0	14	14	1	13	0	0	0	0	0	0	220	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Transport Department Total		37	344	6659	7003	389	5998	96	0	2	0	95	423	144728	14	56	716	772	684	16	72
Welfare of Differently Abled Persons Department, Secretariat		1	0	56	56	35	15	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	1	0	2	2	2	0	0
Commissionerate for the Welfare of Differently Abled		45	15	465	480	10	451	0	0	0	0	0	19	0	2	0	11	11	11	0	0
Welfare of Differently Abled Persons Department Total		46	15	521	536	45	466	0	0	0	0	6	19	0	3	0	13	13	13	0	0
Tamil Nadu Vigilance Commission, Secretariat		2	0	16	16	10	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	78	1	1	3	4	4	0	0
Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department		1	0	43	43	19	24	0	0	0	0	0	0	200	1	0	1	1	1	0	0
Sports Development Authority of Tamil Nadu		39	0	78	78	0	78	0	0	0	0	0	0	780	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
National Cadet Corps		58	0	8	8	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	80	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
National Service Scheme		1	0	3	3	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	30	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tamil Nadu Physical Education and Sports University		1	3	60	63	0	55	0	0	0	0	0	8	550	1	3	2	5	5	0	0

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Youth Welfare and Sports Development Department Total		100	3	192	195	19	168	0	0	0	0	0	8	1640	5	3	3	6	6	0	0
Legislative Assembly Secretariat Total		15	1	115	116	31	72	6	0	0	0	7	0	1086	2	0	13	13	7	6	0
Tamil Nadu Information Commission		1	318	1139	1457	112	1237	0	0	0	0	0	108	0	1	0	78	78	78	0	0
Grand Total		10208	12583	369336	381919	69631	287476	2742	151	632	436	5470	15381	2455598	4693	2434	39295	41729	37894	1099	2736

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